

19. (Amended) A method of forming an image by means of an electrophotographic process which comprises the steps of forming an electrostatic latent image by image exposure, visualizing the electrostatic latent image by development, transferring the visualized image onto the recording medium and fixing the transferred image, wherein

a developing agent containing the electrophotographic toner of claim 10 is used in the step of developing the electrostatic latent image; and

a flash fixing system is used as the toner fixing system in the step of fixing the toner image after transferring the toner image, which has been visualized by the use of the developing agent, onto the recording medium.